IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLN.NO.468 OF 2007

Zakir Imtiyaz Khan ..Applicant

Vs.

State of Maharashtra ..Respondents

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Ms.Sonia S.Miskin advocate (appointed)
for applicant
Mr.S.S.Pednekar A.P.P. for the State

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CORAM: SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.
DATE : APRIL 11, 2007

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1. Heard the learned advocate for the applicant and the learned A.P.P. for the State.

2. The applicant has preferred this application through Jail. The applicant has been granted bail in C.R.No.37 of 2006 of Bhoisar Police Station. The said case is under Section 399 of IPC.

3. The applicant was granted bail by the Sessions Court in the sum of Rs.30,000/-. It is the case of the applicant that he hails from very poor financial background and hence, it was not possible

for him to furnish the said surety. Due to this, the applicant has been languishing in jail for over about 9 months. Looking to these facts, I am inclined to reduce the amount of bail.

4. The amount of bail is reduced from Rs.30,000/- to Rs.10,000/- with one or two sureties to make up the said amount. Rest of the conditions as imposed on the applicant, shall remain.

5. Application is disposed of.

[Smt. V.K.Tahilramani, J.]